

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA )  
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v. )  
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OLEKSIY SHARAPKA )  
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CRIMINAL NO. 04-MJ-00260-JLA

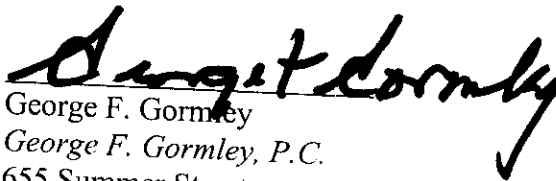
MOTION TO CONTINUE ARRAIGNMENT

Now comes OLEKSIY SHARAPKA, defendant herein, and requests this Court continue the arraignment currently set for Thursday, January 6, 2005 at 2:30 p.m. to Wednesday, January 12, 2005 at 10:15 a.m. or such other time convenient to the Court and interested parties.

The government does not oppose this request.

I certify that the above  
document is a true and  
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original filed with the  
court on the date  
stated herein.

Respectfully submitted,  
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